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The Palm

Fresh Vegetables

Lettuce Spinach Radishes, Onions, Florida Tomatoes, Rhubarb and Asparagus.

Fruits

Pineapples, Blood and Pet Oranges, Bananas, Grape Fruit and Washington Apples.

Do not forget that we still carry a full line of fresh Confectionery.

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Nowhere to go in this town

We often hear that expression. Why not go to the Pastime and spend an enjoyable hour? If you don't play pool, sit down and smoke and watch others play. We want you to understand that you are welcome.

We carry a full line of high class Tobaccos, Cigars, Cigarettes, Pipes, etc.

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Hours: 9-10 a.m. 4-5 and 7-8 p.m.

YOU

Must be interested in what I have been able to do for you. I have just opened out a parcel of direct importations from one of the largest factories in the world. Usually you pay \$3.00 for a gold filled brooch. I am today selling a solid gold gem brooch for \$2.40, solid gold Necklets with real pearls and diverse goods for \$15.00, usually sold for \$20.00. My stock is too large for a small town but the prices are sure to catch all buyers in the Pass, in fact it will make buying a pleasure. Cannot describe my stock so please call and inspect, all welcome.

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Blairmore - Alberta

E. Disney

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Plans and specifications prepared, estimates given on all kinds of buildings.

Brick, Lime, Builders' Supplies

Lumber of all Kinds

COLEMAN JOTTINGS

Happenings of Interest in and Around This Bustling Town. You Are Talked About

We shall thank our readers for all items of interest which they may be able to furnish us for publication. Please give a P.O. box.

D. F. Hughes, of Crows Nest, was in on Monday.

Dr. O'Hagan has gone to Kamloops, B. C., for a few days.

Inspector Belcher of R. N. W. M. P. was up from Pincher Creek this week.

J. W. Bennett, the I. C. S. man, came down from Fernie on Wednesday evening.

Rev. T. M. Murray attended a meeting of the Synod of Alberta, at Calgary, this week.

The Prairie and Pass Promotion League, two more railroads, several pulp mills and—

F. C. Greene, consulting engineer for the McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Co. Ltd., is in town.

Mrs. W. L. Bridgeford, who has been confined to her bed for several days, is improving.

Rev. James Sargent will conduct Baptist service in the Oddfellows' hall, Coleman, on Sunday at 11 a.m.

A meeting of the western branch of the Canadian Mining Institute will take place at Coleman, on May 25th.

Rev. J. G. Shearer, D. D., of Toronto, came to town on Saturday last and left for Calgary on Monday.

H. A. Berlis, who conducted a mission of ten days duration at Taber, was in town on Monday on his way to Dried.

DIED.—On Wednesday morning last, Donald, darling child of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Anderson, aged 4 months and 17 days.

The men's bible class will meet in the club room, as before the evangelistic campaign, at 3.45 on Sunday afternoon next.

Dr. Lovering, of Lethbridge, is in town looking after Dr. O'Hagan's practice during the latter's absence in British Columbia.

D. J. McIntyre, postmaster, left on Friday last to spend several weeks visiting friends at Penitence, B. C., and other points farther west.

Mrs. W. L. Oulmette, who has been spending the last three months with friends at Red Deer, returned to Coleman, on Sunday morning last.

The stocks of the McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Co. Ltd., with head office at Coleman, have been taken off the market and there are no more shares for sale.

E. Disney is having a dwelling house erected on the corner N. E. of the Boarding house. The stone foundation is finished and much of the frame work is up.

MARRIED.—At St. Paul's church, Vancouver, B. C., on 15th inst., Scott Fairfield Aitken, of Coleman, to Miss Isabel Ellsworth, daughter of Captain and Mrs. Schetty.

It is rumored that some of our promising young men will shortly leave for the Klondyke, to seek their fortune in that yellow country where gold is so much in evidence (?).

Ralph Bradley, who came from Claresholm, on Sunday last, is the night operator at the C. P. R. station here, in place of S. Rutherford who has been transferred to Crows Nest.

Miss Iva Close, of Woodstock, Ontario, who will arrive in town to-morrow morning will take up her duties as primary school teacher here on Monday, thus making four school teachers for Coleman.

J. F. Povah, general manager of the McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Co. Ltd., who has been absent from town visiting Spokane, St. Paul, Chicago and Cleveland during the past four weeks in the interest of his company, returned to Coleman on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Powell and family left on Wednesday night last for Glynnham, Penn., U. S. A., where they will spend about two months visiting friends. Mr. Powell accompanied them as far as Frank where they boarded the Soo Pacific flyer for the east.

Ladies interested in an unbreakable rust proof corset, made in the lace in front habit-back models, are invited to inspect the line of Spirella corsets which are for sale only by Mrs. Francis McNeill, Blairmore. Mrs. McNeill will be at the Coleman Hotel every Tuesday afternoon, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

A "FISH EATER" IS VICE-ADMIRAL

Of the Turkish Fleet—A Successful Career of a Young Nova Scotian

(From The Calgary Albertan)

The sultan depends upon a Canadian to save his life. His hopes in his extremity are pinned upon Admiral Ramsford D. Bucknam, who now commands the imperial navy, has charge of naval construction and of the imperial yacht, and is the naval adviser and aide-de-camp of Abdul Hamid II. Bucknam Pasha has been in Turkey only six years. He was born in Nova Scotia thirty-eight years ago. His father was lost at sea and when his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bucknam, of Worcester, Mass., gave him the choice of farm life or going to sea at fourteen he chose the sea as cabin boy in a merchant ship.

Twice, it is said, he has saved the life of the sultan, and he is prepared to fight for it again if necessary.

More than once has Bucknam Pasha himself, as he is known in Turkey, been the object of attack by would-be assassins.

Guarded as he is in Constantinople, his enemies have found little chance to slay him, but once in Kile, while returning from a banquet, his foe nearly succeeded. Five of them attacked him with daggers, and only his expert knowledge of boxing saved his life. He felled three of them and was repelling the attack of the others single-handed when help arrived.

Despite the honors that have been heaped upon him, Bucknam Pasha remains at heart a Canadian. He laughs at the thought of danger to himself.

His coolness under danger was displayed four years ago when an attempt was made to kill the sultan with a bomb as he was about to leave the Hamidieh Mosque, a thousand yards from the palace. The bomb exploded prematurely and killed eighty or ninety men and their horses and wounded many more.

Bucknam Pasha was uninjured and he walked beside the sultan's carriage with drawn sword as it threaded its way among the back of the palace, threatening in a loud voice to decapitate any unauthorized person who approached.

Bucknam has entire charge of the building of the Turkish navy. Every dollar of the \$20,000,000 set aside for this purpose which has thus far been expended has been paid out under his direction.

Upon the breast of his gold-embroidered uniform gleams the star of the Order of Osmanieh conferred upon him by the sultan. The same imperial hands have conferred a distinguished service medal, which Bucknam Pasha wears upon his left breast. Most of gold epaulettes adorn his shoulders. A gold braided sash and a jewel-studded sword complete the dress of the man upon whose naval wisdom and astuteness the sultan now leans.

At court the Nova Scotian ranks with the nobles and he is more often consulted.

He was twice shipwrecked. Afterward he met John D. Rockefeller on a lake passenger steamer and the latter made him captain of a Standard Oil whaleback, where he was known as the "Kid Captain."

In 1902 he accepted a position with the Cramps of Philadelphia, and when the Turkish warship Mevlidia was completed in 1903 he was commissioned to sail her to the Bosphorus. There he met the sultan, who was so impressed with his ability that he offered him the vice-adjutancy of the empire.

Bucknam Pasha afterward went to San Francisco and married Miss Rose Thayer, who is now with him in the Ottoman capital. His salary is princely.

MINERS STILL IDLE—FALSE REPORTS

—WANT F. H. SHERMAN TO RESIGN

The strike situation is very much the same as it has been ever since the last inst., when the miners quit work.

Stubborn Frank is reported to be very sick at Taber and is confined to his bed and will be under the doctor's care for three or four weeks. Many miners are very angry at their president's obstinacy and hope that ere long he will come to rue district 18 of U. M. W. of A.

An associated press despatch from Lethbridge, under date of April 27th, says that at a conference of the miners and operators which, they claim, was held at Taber on the previous day all the operators but one were willing for

NEW MINE WILL SPEND \$200,000 THIS YEAR

When commenting on the McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Co., the Northwest Mining News says that it is the intention of the management to spend \$200,000 on the mine this year. F. C. Greene is now designing equipment which will be placed as rapidly as possible. Starting with 200 tons per day next October, it is expected to increase the output to 1,000 tons by January, 1910, which will be about one-fourth of the ultimate daily production of the mine. Construction of coke ovens will follow closely on the other work, so that within a couple of years 1,000 ovens will be completed and turning out coke. J. F. Povah, the manager, resides at Coleman, near the mine. The available coal supply on the company's land—2,600 acres—is estimated to be more than 60,000,000 tons.

NEW TOWNSITE AT BLAIRMORE

It is reported on good authority that the West Canadian Collieries will shortly place on the market a whole section of land which adjoins the west end of Blairmore. The land in question has been surveyed into lots and will be placed on sale during the present summer.

The new townsite commences at a point about 100 feet west of the C. P. R. station and is about in the same position as regards proximity to the station as the original site.

This will be good news to Blairmore as the unlimited number of lots which will be available will tend to reduce the high price now prevailing and which is detrimental to the speedy building up of that village. Blairmore will have plenty of room to expand whether the present legal tangle continues or not.

BLAIRMORE BOARD OF TRADE

A meeting of the Blairmore board of trade was held on Wednesday evening, president Lyon in the chair.

The president explained that a small amount of dissatisfaction existed regarding the formation of the present board, but that in order that all might pull together he would suggest that the present officers be considered provisionally elected and that another election be held a week later, Wednesday, May 5th, for the purpose of reorganization so that the croakers might come to croak. This was agreed to. In the meantime the board's business will be transacted by the provisional staff.

The membership fee is to be \$5. A list has been opened by treasurer Haines and will be kept at the post office where all those desiring may be enrolled upon payment of the initiation fee.

It was decided that all correspondence or business of any nature be laid over till the meeting of May 5th. Blairmore is well named the "town of many troubles."

The men to go back to work pending a new agreement.

We are in a position to state that this is absolutely untrue, there being no such conference held.

One miner gives vent to his feelings in the following:—

Passburg, April 30, 1908.

To the Editor Lethbridge Herald.

Dear Sir:—We, the miners of the several works called out by a despot, Mr. Sherman, want to know how he is going to keep us after we are out or where are the funds to come from to support us. It is three weeks now and there were families poor when work was steady. It takes a man with five or six of a family all his time to keep his family comfortable. We pay \$2 per month for the union. Where does it go? So much to a foreign union and the balance to a few that are running from pillar to post holding meetings after we voted to go back to work. I think it is time that the men were up and asking for Sherman's resignation.

Yours truly,

A MINER.

I.O.O.F. 90TH ANNIVERSARY

Rebekahs Join Them in Parade to Institutional Church—Rev. A. E. Mitchell Preaches.

Many witnessed the church parade of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and the Rebekahs, held on Sunday afternoon in celebration of the nineteenth anniversary, of the former lodge.

The members met in their hall at 2.30 p.m. and at a hour later formed in procession and paraded to the Institutional church, where the Rev. A. E. Mitchell, B. A., delivered a very interesting sermon on the subject "The value of Sincerity."

The preacher took as his text: "That ye may be sincere; Philippians, 1 c, 10 v. The speaker said that Paul's prayers revealed the greatness of the man as no other part of his writings did. In his prayer for the Philippians he suggested their needs in the things he pleaded with God for on their behalf. A study of his prayer should be that they may be sincere, that they be prayed for their enlargement, enrichment and refinement; Paul longed for the complete balancing of their faculties so that the complete man may be presented to the world. Paul prayed that they may be sincere, without wax, free from admittures, that they may be able to stand the sunlight, that their reality may be as their appearance. The speaker dwelt for some length on the things that make it hard to be sincere today. First—The keen struggle for existence, due largely to competition and the tricks resorted to to succeed. Second—The conventionalities of the age, where there is a tendency to lose one's individuality in aiming at being like other people. Third—The voice of public opinion which is both a blessing and a danger and which is hard to resist. He then mentioned some aids to help us to be sincere, the first of which was self-examination, that is, belief in individual possibilities, never to lose faith in yourself nor in humanity; when faith in oneself is gone the path back to our better self will be hard. Second—Faith in a real God. Can God be real to us if we make light of pride, avarice, dishonesty and corruption? Can the man believe in a real God and live in open rebellion against God and His laws? Surely not. Third—Fellowship with Christ, in which several instances were given to show the great power and uplift that which will come from fellowship with Christ. In conclusion Mr. Mitchell congratulated the brethren upon the nineteenth anniversary of their noble order and hoped that the order would keep to its great traditions thereby continuing its good work.

The rendering of two solos entitled "Face to Face" and "Plains of Peace," by Wm. McBretney were very much appreciated by the large number present.

FOR SALE.—Plain stationery, good quality, at bargain prices. At Coleman MINER Office.

WANTED.—A general servant. Apply to Mrs. Lyon, Blairmore.

THE MEETINGS AT COLEMAN

Are Over and the Evangelists Leave for Trail, B. C.—Presentation Made

The evangelistic services which have been carried on here since the 4th inst., under the leadership of Rev. A. E. Mitchell, B. A., pastor of Knox church, Hamilton, Ont., and assisted by Wm. McBretney, tenor soloist, came to an end on Sunday evening last. During their stay here Mr. Mitchell delivered twenty-seven sermons and Mr. McBretney sang fifty-two solos.

Mr. Mitchell's sermons have been very instructive, beneficial and influential, while Mr. McBretney's singing has been very melodious.

On Friday evening there was a social gathering at the Institutional church after the regular week night service a large crowd partaking freely of some good things provided by the ladies. Later in the evening Rev. A. E. Mitchell and Wm. McBretney were each presented with a fountain pen from the church members, the presentation was made by Alex. Cameron who in a very fitting manner proposed a vote of thanks to both Mr. Mitchell and Mr. McBretney for the good work which they have been doing in our midst during the past three weeks, this was ably seconded by Henry James.

The two evangelists left on Monday evening for Trail, B. C., where they will continue their good work for another three weeks.

FUNERAL OF T. A. MACLEAN

All that was mortal of Thomas Alexander MacLean, J. P., who exchanged worlds on Thursday evening of last week, was laid to rest at Hillcrest on Sunday afternoon, with Masonic honors.

Rev. T. M. Murray, of Coleman, conducted the funeral services.

The pall bearers were J. H. Farmer, Dr. D. C. McKenzie, Corporal Moore, C. Chestnut, Thomas Burnett and J. A. Price.

BLAIRMORE

The curfew would work well in Blairmore.

Miss Tomlinson of Edmonton, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dan Drain.

R. S. Lake of Calgary, was in town this week in connection with his water works project.

Captain Beebe spent the week end in Macleod transacting business for the village council.

Rev. Mr. McLaurin superintendent of mission for the Baptist church, spent Sunday here.

Everybody is cranky in Blairmore these days as a result of further litigation over the swiped townsite.

The West Canadian Collieries are remodelling the front part of their office here, which will make quite an improvement in appearance as well as convenience.

Fishing Season

Is now opened

All kinds of Fishing Tackle selling at lowest prices

We have just received a consignment of crockery

A carload of FURNITURE is on the way

Every Thing in Hardware

Coleman Hardware Co.

KEEPING BUDGET DARK

UTMOST SECRECY IS OBSERVED
BY CHANCELLOR.

Huge Sums of Money Might Be Made
If Features of Financial Statement
of Britain Might Be Found Out In
Advance, But Facts Are Jealously
Guarded by a Few—News Once
Leaked Out in Gladstone's Time.

It is worth hundreds of thousands of dollars to some people to know in advance the exact details of the British budgets. There are speculators on the Stock Exchange who could make a fortune out of the knowledge. To holders of brewery stocks, a hint or a whisper from the Chancellor of the Exchequer before he begins to "rob the henrosts" would be a boon and a blessing. But happy is he who expects nothing, for he shall not be disappointed. With Mr. Lloyd-George, as with other Chancellors of the Exchequer, "fame" is the word. How he provides for an estimated deficit of \$70,000,000, and raises the wind, as the saying goes, for the national housekeeping next year, is a secret which he keeps as close as a hen on a nest until the moment he stands up in the House of Commons and draws the veil aside.

No doubt the man in the street often wonders how it is that, with so many members of the Government and so many members of the Cabinet, the confidence of a Chancellor of the Exchequer, his secret is always so well kept. The fact is that the actual details of the budget are known to very few people in advance. It may be questioned whether at any time there are more than two or three members of the Cabinet who are known to a public audience, if they should be invited to do so, precisely upon whose hard-earned money the Chancellor of the Exchequer is going to exercise his art.

Certainly the members of the Government outside the Cabinet have much more than a general notion as to what is likely to happen, and it may turn out that a material part of their general notion is wrong. It might go farther and say that even the Cabinet as a whole are rarely in possession of the details in advance of any year's budget. For the Chancellor is always an inner Cabinet—the Finance Minister's personal friends and supporters, the men from whom he often seeks counsel and assistance, or who, by right of their intimacy, proffer him counsel and assistance. These are the men who are counted on the hand, who could tell more tales out of school than any other. By carefully choosing their brokers and covering their intentions they could, if they liked, make large additions to their fortunes through their knowledge of the budget and none would be the wiser. Yet everyone can be perfectly certain that they will not do this. They are not for any private purpose of this sort. An American politician might say this is foolish. The answer is that it is honest, and the British, and no case has ever been known of a Cabinet Minister failing to observe this unwritten law.

But there are a few three—men who know more of the Chancellor of the Exchequer's secret than anybody else. These are the Permanent Secretary and the Permanent Administrative Secretary at the Treasury, and the Chancellor's own private secretary. The Permanent Secretaries know the budget as a mother knows her baby; know it through all its phases and all its figures; know it in its early stages and its later development; know it through all its train of worries, anxieties, and perplexities. All the year, in fact, they are tracing the Chancellor's financial scaffolding for him, so that for nine months he has practically nothing to do in financial matters except direct and order. It is not until he knows what his deficit or surplus is through the labors of these men that he can start work on his budget and display to the world his talents as a financial genius—or otherwise.

Of course, there are dozens of officials and clerks at the Treasury who get a glimpse of the budget in quarter lights and half lights before it is actually under the hammer. Hundreds of memoranda pass from department to department, hundreds of letters are drafted, corrected, amended, and copied. Withal, the Chancellor keeps his golden secret. Everybody who has the smallest responsibility with respect to it at the Treasury is on honor to be faithful to his trust.

Yet budget secrets have leaked out from time to time nevertheless. One instance which comes to mind concerns one of the famous budgets of the late famous of England's Finance Minister—Gladstone. His private secretary, connected with a noble family, consciously or unconsciously betrayed the secret of his chief. It was, indeed, said that he had been "got at." In any case, his career was ended. Gladstone was not the man to let a secretary who failed to recognize that still tongue makes a wise head, and he "fired him out" without more ado.

Dunraven, Journalist and Marine. Lord Dunraven, who celebrated his sixtieth birthday recently, is one of the few peers who have been war correspondents, and the only peer who holds an extra-master's certificate for navigation. He has written many books, of course, as well known, and he varies this hobby with big game hunting and picturesque travel. Lord Dunraven served in the South African war as a captain of a corps of sharpshooters. He has smelt gunpowder often before, but unlike the captain of a soldier. He served in the Abyssinian campaign of 1897 as a correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, and he acted in a similar capacity for the same paper during the Franco-German war.

PERFECT

For Catarrh of the Throat of Two Years' Standing.

"I was afflicted for two years with catarrh of the throat. At first it was very slight, but every cold I took made it worse.

"I followed your directions and in a very short time I began to improve. I took one bottle and am now taking my second. I can safely say that my throat and head are cleared from catarrh at the present time, but I still continue to take my usual dose for a spring tonic, and I find there is nothing better."—Mrs. W. Pray, 280 Twelfth St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Bills
"Lysander," (sweetly) "do you know what day this is?"

"Sure; our anniversary, Margaret, dear," (pretending to have remembered it) "I've got it."

"No such thing" (frigidly). "It's the day you promised to nail the leg on that old kitchen table."

"Lysander palmed, tried to square himself on the anniversary blunder, failed utterly, and the fireworks went on."

"My sturdy old grandfather came over in the steerage. Forty years later he went back on the Lusitania."

"Not so much as a wagon, and he duke who accomplished the same trick in four weeks."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Effort to Make Connections

Harry Lander tells of a canny Scot whose neighbor met him flitting. The Scot had wife and children and household furniture piled atop a wagon, and he was solemnly driving his horse along the street. "So you're flitting?" says the neighbor.

"I am," "I want to be near my work."

"And where's yer job?"

"I haven't got one yet."

A Prime Dressing for Wounds.—In some factories and workshops carbolic acid is kept for use in cauterizing wounds and cuts sustained by the workmen. Far better to keep on hand a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It is just as quick in action and does not sear the skin or burn the flesh. There is in this oil that has its curative qualities.

It may satisfy one's pride to own large farms, but it swells home comforts and the bank account to thoroughly cultivate small ones.

Repeat
it:—"Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

It is better to regard the soil and its fertility than the almanac as to the proper time to plant.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

Reason is not measured by size or height, but by principle.—Epictetus.

Pills That Have Benefited Thousands.—Known far and near as a sure remedy in the treatment of indigestion and all derangements of the stomach, Vegetable Pills have brought relief to thousands when other specifics have failed. Innumerable testimonials have been reduced to writing in corroboration of this assertion. Once tried they will be found superior to all other pills for the treatment of the ailments for which they are prescribed.

Previously Inexplicated
"Since Miss Ann Teek has had her electric phanton she drives at such a rate that she keeps the police trappers busy."

"Why does she do it?"

"She says it's so exciting to be chased by men—Till-Bits."

Must Call a Halt
To Pneumonia

It often cannot be cured but it can be prevented.

Every cold must be taken seriously, and care taken in selecting effective treatment. Every cold seriously and using Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

While consumptives are being taken care of and tuberculosis is being conquered who is going to fight pneumonia, where some each year to claim more and more victims.

It is the children and older people who yield most readily to this disease, but with the system run down or from undue exposure it is to be looked for as the result of any severe cold of the chest and lungs.

While the doctors are experimenting with cures why not do all we can to prevent this dreadful ailment by taking every cold seriously and using Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine to allay the inflammation of the bronchial tubes, to aid expectoration, and to keep the cough free and loose. This great medicine has a thorough and far-reaching action, which is not obtained from ordinary cough medicines, and this is why three bottles of it are sold for one of any similar treatment. It has proven its extraordinary value in the cure of coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and asthma, and people have learned to trust it implicitly and to keep it constantly at hand.

Mrs. F. Dwyer, Chesham, Ont., writes: "My little girl of three years had an attack of bronchial pneumonia. My husband and I thought she was going to leave this world, as her case resisted the doctor's treatment. After the first two doses of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine the child began to get better, and we are thankful to say is now well again after four weeks' illness." 25 cts. a bottle at all dealers or Edman, Bates & Co.

KING OF GAMBLERS.

Prince of Monaco Expands Much of His Revenue on Science.

The Prince of Monaco, occupant of the smallest throne in the world, is one of the most interesting and praiseworthy notables of European court life. Though he draws his revenue largely from the gambling syndicate that controls Monte Carlo, he expends his wealth in furthering scientific knowledge and the nautical museum which he is having built and which is now almost on the point of completion will be one of the most complete institutions of its kind in existence. And more than this, the great part of the treasures it is to contain have been gathered by the prince, in his own boat, from every quarter of the marine world. For more than 20 years he has been engaged in making the collection and in publishing the results of his discoveries. From Spitzbergen in the north to the ice barrier of the southern seas the prince has carried his quest, assist in capturing his prizes of the sea he has invented many curious devices that seize and convey to the surface the fragile denizens of the deep. The lowest is so frail that it yields fine crops if any attention whatever is given to the tilling of the soil. And for those who are too large to swim, the prince has provided a model ruler in his little state. No one there knows what money trouble is. The lowest is so frail that it yields fine crops if any attention whatever is given to the tilling of the soil. And for those who are too large to swim, the prince has provided a model ruler in his little state. No one there knows what money trouble is.

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The winter months are trying to the health of even the most robust. Confinement, indoors, in over-heated and nearly always badly ventilated rooms—in the home, the office, the shop and the school—takes the vitality of even the strongest. The blood becomes thin and watery or clogged with impurities. Sometimes you get up in the morning just as tired as when you went to bed. Some people have headaches; others are low spirited; some have pimples and skin eruptions. These are all spring symptoms that the blood is out of order. You can't cure these troubles with purgative medicines, which merely sallow through the system leaving you still weaker. What you need to give you health and strength in the spring is a tonic medicine, and the one always reliable tonic and blood builder is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These Pills not only banish spring ills, but guard you against the more serious ailments that follow, such as anæmia, nervous debility, rheumatism, indigestion and kidney trouble. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make new, rich blood, which strengthens every nerve, every organ and every part of the body. Try this medicine this spring and you will have strength and energy to resist the torrid heat of the coming summer. Mr. J. R. Johnson, Locks, N. B., says:—"Some two years ago I began to feel that my constitution was weakening. I could not stand any exposure or knocking about. I finally sought the aid of a doctor, who said my system was very much run down, and that the trouble might end in nervous prostration. As his medicine did not help me, I decided, on the advice of a friend, to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial. I had used less than a half dozen boxes when my health was fully restored, and I think no other medicine can equal these Pills when one is run down and out of health. I have since sold many boxes of the Pills to all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

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It might cheer things up somewhat if some person with an established reputation for truth and veracity would see the first rub.

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"When she collides with a sturdy tree, or gets in the notion of backing down, she says: 'I try to be the driver' in French."

An Old-Fashioned Woman.
There was an old-fashioned woman who would blush if company caught her with less than six different kinds of cake and seven different kinds of preserves in the house. If a guest called, she would blush if company caught her with less than six different kinds of cake and seven different kinds of preserves in the house. If a guest called, she would blush if company caught her with less than six different kinds of cake and seven different kinds of preserves in the house.

Six Shaves For a Penny.
An official barber, who will be paid at the rate of a penny for six shaves, has been appointed by the Lambeth (S.W.) council to attend inmates of the workhouse.

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No More "White Bread"
"White bread" is abolished in the United States," it is stated in telegraphic despatches, referring to the ruling of the secretary of agriculture that millers must not bleach flour. The ruling went into effect this week but millers have until June 3 to dispose of the bleached flour still on hand. It is declared that there will be as much difference between bread made from unbleached flour as there is between angel cake and sponge cake. The flour will be of a creamy color instead of white, and the bread will be light golden in color. But there will be no difference in flavor and the bread will have an additional quality to commend itself to the consumer, because it will be just like that "mother used to make," in the good old days before the craze for bleached flour came into vogue.

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J. D. S. BARRETT, Editor and Manager

Coleman, Friday, April 30, 1909

THE STRIKE SITUATION

The MINER has been accused by a few miners of "standing in" with the operators as a result of our criticism of the "little Czar" and his misjudgment in calling a strike, simply to satisfy his own ends. The MINER made its statements in good faith and we have no reason to regret our action.

We still maintain that the calling of a strike was not justified in any way and that the sooner the men depose their "little Czar" and replace him by a man of broader views and thoughtfulness the better it will be for themselves and the country at large.

We append a letter, written by a Coleman miner, to the Lethbridge Herald, which we believe expresses the views of the men of this camp as well as those of other camps who find themselves in a like condition:—

Coleman, Alta., April 25, 1909.
 Dear Sir:—Your paper contains a letter this morning from Miner, of Passburg, in which he refers to the president of our union as a despot. Miner is right when he makes a statement of that kind, and I am writing you this letter to let you know that there are hundreds of miners of the same opinion in the Pass. We were taken out on strike for a closed shop and were told that Fernie and Michel had a closed shop. We find we were not told the truth. We were satisfied with conditions and voted to go to work, and the vote carried for signing the agreement by a large majority. What could be fairer? Does it look as if there was something behind, allowing the Crow's Nest Coal Co. to keep working. There was always a big kick at Michel, and a strike last summer on wages and conditions. Now they have no kick and are satisfied to work and fill the orders for our company in Alberta, while we are fighting a battle. Our supposed union brothers are taking our bread away from us and our families, and are supplying our opponents with ammunition to "sell us in our defenceless position. We were wrongly informed in this struggle, and the sooner we take matters in our own hands and throw Castro to the winds the better it will be for the miners and their union. Our leader, for the third time expelled from the Socialist party, so I am told. What for? Was it for fighting honestly for the class struggle? No. For doing things that were unfair and wrong in the party, and it is the opinion of the majority of the miners that they are being wronged the same as the Socialist party were. I would strike for months if we were oppressed in any way. But we are not and we know it. There is in the minds of several people causes for all this trouble and it is not a fight for the miners. That's clear, for we voted to go to work and will go soon. But the question is heard on all sides, will we get the same contract that we voted on? A large number think we will not if we don't make a move soon, run our own affairs, and not have ranchers running them for us.

Yours for a Square Deal,
MINER.**NOTES**

Frank Sherman's pay goes on whether the miners work or not. He has a cinch.

Longboat and Shrubbs are matched for a 15 mile race in Montreal, on the 8th of May.

Shrubbs defeated St. Yves in a 15 mile race in New York a few days ago. The time was slow.

It seems to be a crime against the Socialist party for one of their number to say a good word for an outsider.

C. M. O'Brien, M.P.P., is a man of his word. He was elected by the Socialists, and will not turn a hand on behalf of anyone else. He could not find time to attend the joint meeting of councils and boards of trade, which was held at Coleman last week, and did not even think it worth while to acknowledge the invitation. The people voted for this kind of representation and they got it.

The announcement of the Canadian

Northern railway that they will only build 100 miles of railway in Alberta this year is anything but encouraging. This is the line of railway we had hoped to see built into the Pass during the present or early part of next season. The Prairie Pass and Promotion League which was formed in Coleman last week will have to go some in order to get a few miles of railway pointed our way this season.

A Canadian holds a high position in the Court of Abdul Hamid, says the Toronto Globe. He is Ransford D. Buckman, who was born in Nova Scotia 38 years ago. Young Buckman went to sea at the age of fourteen. While still a mere youth he was in command of a Standard Oil whaleback on the lakes. In 1902 he accepted a position with the Cramps of Philadelphia, and was commissioned by them to sail the new Turkish warship Medjidia to the Bosphorus. His ability impressed the Sultan, and he was quickly made Vice-Admiral of the empire. He is in command of the Imperial navy, and has entire charge of all naval construction. Twice already he has saved the life of the Sultan, and present indications are that he will not have long to wait for a third opportunity.

PECK HAS A JOB

J. Peck MacSwain is holding down a desk in the city clerk's office at present. Peck is the most versatile cuss living. Last week he was bossing a shift in the converter room at the smelter, this week he is assistant to the city clerk, next week he may be superintendent at the tunnel or conducting an evangelical campaign and the next—but that is too far ahead.—Ledge

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Any person who is the sole head of a family or any male over 18 years of age may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Land Office for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by a father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within one mile of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

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ARMENIAN SLAY- ER IS DETHRONED

**Abdul Hamid II. Loses His
Throne--Mehammed V., His
Brother, Is New Sultan**

Constantinople, April 27.—The reign of Abdul Hamid II. ended today with his deposition and the accession of his brother, Mehmed Reschad Effendi as Mehmed V. (a variation of Ham Mahomet, it not being considered appropriate to assume the precise name of the prophet). Mehmed V. is the thirty-fifth sovereign of Turkey, in male descent of the house of Osman, the founder of the empire and the twenty-ninth sultan since the conquest of Constantinople. The two houses of parliament meeting as a national assembly in the forenoon approved the decree of deposition, which was read by the Sheik-ul-Islam, chief of the Ulemas and the supreme court on ecclesiastical affairs. The document recited that Abdul Hamid's acts were contrary to the sacred law and set forth a long list of crimes, the whole making a terrible indictment. The assembly chose Mehmed Reschad as sultan and appointed committees to notify the dethroned sovereign and its successor of its action. The firing of 101 guns announced to the waiting people that a new sultan had been proclaimed. The ceremonies connected with the transfer of the power were simple. The newly chosen ruler came from his palace in Galata, through streets lined with troops and cheering thousands, and took the oath at the war office. He then proceeded to the parliament and later went to the Topkapou palace to kiss the prophets robes, returning to the Dolmabahatche place as head of the empire, where for so many years he had been a prisoner. Martial law was relaxed tonight and the people gave themselves over to celebrating the victory of the Young Turk's party and the end of Abdul Hamid's reign.

The Sheik-ul-Islam, it is said, personally visited the sultan and read him the decree. He informed his majesty that the question having been put in canonical form before the sheik and his associates, as to whether Abdul Hamid had not forfeited the right to rule over the faithful, they decided "yes." Abdul Hamid's head, "It is the will of Allah." At a secret sitting of the national assembly in the morning, the decree was read. It declared that Abdul Hamid II. must abdicate or be dethroned. The assembly unanimously shouted "dethrone him." A deputation consisting of two senators and two deputies, thereupon visited the palace at Yildiz and communications to the sultan and assembly's deputation. Abdul Hamid replied: "I expected this. It is fate. My only wish is that the lives of myself and family be safeguarded and that I may reside in the palace of Cheorghan as I wish to die where I was born."

The sultan elect came by boat across the Bosphorus to Stamboul. He landed near the Sublime Porte and thence proceeded to the Sraakrat in a closed carriage, drawn by black horses. He was ushered into the great hall by the entire cabinet, where had assembled the representatives of the nation and state dignitaries, civil, military and ecclesiastical. The prince expressed the wish to perform ablutions and say prayers. Shortly before four o'clock the prince solemnly subscribed to the oath, which was administered by the Sheik-ul-Islam. A Molok offered prayers for the welfare of the new sultan, and the assembly responded "amen." The batteries boomed an announcement to the city that a new ruler had been sworn into office, while all present congratulated Mehmed V. who immediately proceeded to the Topkapou palace to venerate the relics.

Returning by the Galata bridge to Dolmabahatche palace, where he will take up his residence the new sultan was enthusiastically cheered by a

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H. Galvin was at Calgary on a business trip last week.

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Mr. Willis, of Manitoba, was a visitor at M. McMillan's, last week.

Joseph Alexander who was in the hospital last week returned home much improved in health.

There will be an entertainment and supper in the church here on Tuesday night May 4th. See ad.

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Mrs. and Miss White were at Calgary last week, where Miss White had an operation performed on her throat. The operation was very successful.

P. D. Walsh, of the new firm Walsh, Pickett & Co., was at Calgary last week purchasing a car load of groceries for their store here. They expect to open their store in about two weeks time.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pemberton, of Calgary, moved into their home here last week. Mr. Pemberton intends putting in a garden this spring. Their many friends will be pleased to see them back again.

Grover Duncan, who has been freight clerk at the C. P. R. depot here during the winter, will leave shortly for his home, east of Stettler. His friends here wish him every success down on the farm. Fred Read, will, in all probability, take his place here.

Many among our subscribers have been interested in the wheat competition conducted during the past winter by The Nor-West Farmer, Winnipeg. Prizes totalling \$4,773.40 in value were offered to those who submitted the nearest estimate as to the number of kernels in five pounds of No. 1 Northern wheat. The grains have just been counted by Messrs. Campbell, Campion and McCuaig, who unanimously declare the number to be \$2,498. The prize winners whose names and addresses are announced in the April 20th issue of The Nor-West Farmer, are farmers scattered all over the three prairie provinces.

great crowd along the way, to which he responded by saluting repeatedly. Enver Bey, one of the prominent leaders of the Young Turk who followed the procession, was recognized and received a tremendous ovation. The rejoicings seemed genuine and sincere and as though by some strange intuition picture post cards of the new sultan appeared on the streets like magic.

Subsequently, in receiving a deputation from the national assembly, Mehmed said: "I am pleased to become the first constitutional sovereign. Doubtless my successor will improve upon me, but you may rely upon me doing my best. I also have suffered oppression, and can therefore enter into the feelings of my fellow sufferers. Let us endeavor to work together for the welfare of the country."

When the assembly deputation arrived at the Yildiz the Fetva of the Sheik-ul-Islam was handed to Ali Djavad Bey, first secretary, for communication to Abdul Hamid who is an inner apartment was guarded by fifteen eunuchs.

Djavad Bey tried to gain admittance by knocking, and after this was continued for some fifteen minutes, the door was opened and Abdul Hamid appeared. He accepted the Fetva without comment. The deputation was then ushered into his presence and the spokesman said: "You no longer reign over us." Abdul Hamid gave a deep sigh of relief upon being informed that no designs were entertained against his life.

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It was on a December morning in the year 1796 that Thomas Chandler Haliburton was born in the town of Windsor, Nova Scotia.

His father was the Hon. William Otis Haliburton, a descendant of a distinguished family bearing that name, who had married Lucy, daughter of Major Robert Grant, famed for his gallant acts during the American war. Of this union, Thomas Chandler Haliburton was the only son.

Little is known of his childhood, but at an early age he matriculated into King's College, Windsor—the oldest university in British North America. Here, as in later life, his career was a brilliant one, and in 1818 he graduated with high honors. Two years later he went to the Bar, and began the practice of law in Annapolis Royal.

Not content with the success which he was at such an early age achieving as a barrister, Haliburton entered the political arena, and in 1820 returned to the House of Assembly as member for the combined counties of Annapolis and Digby.

Here the future author became one of the most active and prominent members, and was soon recognized not only as a keen debater, but also as a brilliant orator. Writing of his famous speech on the Catholic Emancipation question—which he strongly advocated—Mr. Slick says: "The speech was the most splendid piece of declamation that I have ever seen my fortune to listen to."

Mr. Haliburton's attitude and manner were extremely impressive, earnest and dignified, and although the strong propensity of his mind to wit and humor were often apparent, they seldom detracted from the seriousness of his language.

In 1830, at the age of thirty-four, Haliburton, on being offered a seat on the Bench, resigned from the House and became a judge of the Supreme Court. Here his wit received full play, and many are the stories told of his humorous remarks, often made at the expense of counsel arguing before him. On one occasion a case was being tried before him in Halifax, when the lawyer for the defence concluded his address by saying, "My Lord, I now trust you will generously discharge the prisoner, we came here for justice." "Justice," quickly replied his lordship, "we didn't come here for justice, we came here for law."

It was in 1829 that Haliburton first appears as an author—the historian of his native province. This work, which was well received, brought the author a resolution from the House of Assembly, expressing their appreciation of his book. Six years later he wrote a series of anonymous letters in "The Nova Scotia" and a flourishing newspaper published in Halifax by that greatest of Nova Scotians—Joseph Howe. In these letters he made use of the name of "Sam Slick," as his mouthpiece. So well was this character received in Canada and the United States, where the letters were widely copied, that the articles were collected and published in England, where they greatly amused the public and met with instant favor.

In 1856 he retired from the Bench and moved to England, remaining there until his death.

In 1859 Haliburton entered British politics, and on his election to sit as the member for Leominster he thanked his constituents "in behalf of four million of British subjects on the other side of the water, who up to the present time, had not one individual in the House of Commons through whom they might be heard."

Haliburton, although he labored unceasingly, was able to do little that would help the colonies—for, in his own words, "those at home care little for, and like less, the colonies."

During his residence in England "Sam Slick," as he was popularly called, wrote many booklets, the most important may be mentioned "The Attache," "Sam Slick in England," "Sam Slick's Wise Saw and Modern Instances," "The American at Home," and "The Season Ticket." The genius of his writings entitled him to foremost rank among the authors of his day.

In 1865 Judge Haliburton died at his home in Isleworth, on the banks of the Thames, and he lies buried in the churchyard there, beside the grave of the famous navigator Vancouver.

In the words of a local chronicler: "The village of Isleworth will henceforth be associated with the most pleasing reminiscences of Mr. Justice Haliburton; and the names of Pope, Cowley, Thompson and Walpole will send a kindred spirit in the world-wide reputation of 'Sam Slick,' who, like them, died on the banks of the Thames."

A few years ago a well-known American author visited Windsor in order that, in the words of the author of "Sam Slick," he might reverently uncover his head to that spirit of genius—a genius who, ever loyal to the land of his nativity, Nova Scotia is proud to call her son.

Announcement

I beg to announce to the Officers of Western Municipalities and School Districts that in future all negotiations for the purchase of debentures shall be carried on in my own name, and not in the name of my former representatives in Regina, with whom I have severed connection.

William C. Brent
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Unwritten History

The winter has been sorely disappointing.

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Sometimes

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "de man dat insists on bein' de whole show ain't got much respect for de feelin's of de audience."

Frenzied Financiering

Columbus Washington Johnson Smith—Wat's de price er dem water-melons, Mr. Jackson?

Mr. Jackson (cunningly)—Ten cents er piece and I pick 'em; 20 cents er piece an' you pick 'em, Mr. Smif.

Mr. Smith—All right, Mr. Jackson. I guess I'll take 'em all, and you pick 'em, of you please!—Tuck.

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THE OBJECTION TO JOHN.

It Was Easily Removed When the Situation Was Explained.

The Gaylords and Nelsons have always been neighbors and intimate friends. So when John Gaylord, aged twenty-four, as fine a fellow as ever was, began to see what an altogether charming girl Molly Nelson was, he was naturally no exception. Indeed, as the "affair" became serious it was evident to all, including John, and Molly themselves, that the parents concerned were delighted. As yet there was no formal announcement, but even one knew that it was "understood," and evening after evening John talked to Molly on the front porch, often lingering after the other Nelsons had retired.

The surprise of the two was consequently great when, one evening a shuffling step was heard in the hall, and presently Mr. Nelson appeared in slippers and dressing-gown, candle in hand. Quite evidently he had gone to bed and then got up for some purpose.

"Why, father, what is the matter?" Molly's cheeks were burning, as her father stood there hesitating and eying John closely. John, leaning against the doorpost, where he had stood for the last fifteen minutes, felt good-nights to Molly, and was evidently uncomfortable under Mr. Nelson's gaze.

"It is embarrassing all around. But John is a young man who goes straight to the point. Is anything wrong, Mr. Nelson?" "Well, no, not exactly, John," Mr. Nelson replied. "I am inquiring that you object to my being here?" "Well, no, not exactly, John," Mr. Nelson replied. "I am inquiring that you object to my being here?"

"Father," cried Molly, quite indignant, "we couldn't have been disturbing any one! John has been talking very low!"

"I don't doubt that, my dear," Mr. Nelson was beginning to enjoy the situation. "It's not that, nor have I any objection to John's talking to you. In fact, I haven't an objection in the world to John not to his conduct, except!"

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The most marked improvements in small grain are brought about by the selection and propagation of individual plants which show superior yielding powers. One well-known variety of wheat was started by a farmer whose keen eye detected unusual producing power in a single plant growing in a field of rye. Many others trace to a similar origin. Some observer noticed superior characteristics in a plant, has isolated and propagated it. These variations are occurring all the time. They have been used for the purpose of fertilization, they may be simply "sports," but whatever their origin, if they vary in the direction of higher life, better quality or stronger straw, they are worth propagating.

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The ills of childhood are many, and may prove serious if not promptly attended to. In all homes where Baby's Own Tablets are kept there is a prompt cure at hand for such troubles as indigestion, colic, diarrhoea, constipation, worms, and teething troubles. And the mother has the guarantee of a home remedy for her baby's ills. Baby's Own Tablets are a medicine contains no opiate or poisonous drug. Mrs. R. Hammond, Copetown, Ont., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets and think nothing can equal them for small children. I would not be without them in the home for they have saved my little girl's life." Sold by medicine dealers, or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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He—Is your father opposed to cremation?

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A Home Trader.

A surgeon in a western town, engaged to perform an operation of minor character upon a somewhat unsophisticated patient, asked him if he was willing to have only a local anesthetic.

"Sure!" replied the other. "I believe in patronizing home industry whenever you can."

And he meant it.—Lippincott's Magazine.

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"I will not leave this house," he declared, "until you promise to be my wife."

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"Yes."

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FLEECE BY EMIR.

British Tourists Spoiled of Everything They Owned.

At El-Jof, in Northern Arabia, they were received by the emir, Faysal Ibn Rashid, and then was asked questions after questions. "Are you there your own or are they false?" "On our arrival at the house placed at our disposal," continued the lecturer, "Captain Aymer and myself congratulated ourselves on our good fortune in having such a cordial welcome, but we had not been there more than five minutes when Faysal's head slave, a richly-dressed personage called Dahm, came to tell us that the emir would not take our camels or our money, as he had plenty of both, but that he would like any things of European make, or of interest that we happened to have."

"This was only too true, and during our five days' stay there was a continued procession of slaves and hangers-on from the castle demanding things for the emir and his visitors and favorites, and demanding them in such a way that it was impossible for us to refuse. We were left with practically nothing of any value left, having been fleeced of our watches, revolvers, compasses, various clothes, and other articles of our kit."

"The slave given us was nothing more or less than a spy, and the emir was really a fairly low fellow. He was a negro slave, who had come to demand cash, hair grease, and all sorts of things for the emir, told me I was a liar when I said I had none."

One Against Mr. Edwards.

The famous theatrical manager, Mr. George Edwards, tells a good story illustrative of the difficulties with which managers are faced. "I was once negotiating with a lady," he says, "to go to India as prima donna. She was a very nice woman, and the question was, 'What would you like to see?' I offered her \$500 a week, and she asked me \$1,000 a week. I began to tell of the glories of India, how the lady would win the hearts of the Princes, the Jams and Rajs and Dams and nabobs. I said, 'As is their custom, they'll send you a lot of presents. I'll tie up your dresses, elephants with trunks full of emeralds, and diamonds enough for a skirt'—and she said, 'I'll take \$500 a week by the side of that? Well, I thought I had impressed on her the importance of thinking it over. She said, 'Next day I got a note: "Dear Mr. Edwards, give me my terms, and you can keep the present."

Indicative of Genius.

"Horus was a great poet," declared the man with the chewed looking mustache. "But," replied the man with the overgrown nose, "he was a poet, and the other day that Horus wrote his poems to advertise the wines of Italy." "Sure! If he could write what he did—his inspiration of the table of the gods, his knowledge of the gods, must have been a real genius."—Chicago Post.

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Woman's World

CHARLOTTE MANSFIELD.

English Society Woman Who Expects to Meet President in African Jungle. Charlotte Mansfield, the well known English authoress, has just started from England to continue on one of the most adventurous journeys ever undertaken by a woman. She proposes to go from Cape Town, South Africa, to Cairo, Egypt, a distance of 5,000 miles, accompanied by only native guides. Part of the way is through practically unexplored country.

Midway in the South African jungle she hopes to meet President Roosevelt. Though the meeting place is not as yet determined upon, Miss Mansfield thinks it will be somewhere near Nairobi, north of Lake Tanganyika. The natives of this district are known to be treacherous and hostile, and as Miss Mansfield will be the only white woman among them the situation is likely to prove highly interesting, to say the least.

The adventurous woman spent all her spare time lately in learning how to use firearms, so that should she be attacked in making one of the most perilous trips on record she will be able to give a good account of herself. What will carry Miss Mansfield through successfully is perhaps the daring character of her project. Though the first journey made by a white woman through this portion of Africa, it is the first time of her sex has attempted to "go through" on the lines laid down by Miss Mansfield. Most others who have made the trip have done so from necessity, going from one part of the district to another in order to reach some permanent residence in the country and having no life to do with the natives as possible. With Miss Mansfield, however, it is different. She intends to try to "affiliate" with the natives, to learn their habits of thought and to study their customs. It is a great belief in the psychology of the native races, and, as she is somewhat of a seer herself, will strive to get "en rapport" with the aborigines in a way hitherto undreamed of by others.

Despite all Miss Mansfield's disclaimers as to the danger that may attend her in passing through this country, persons acquainted with her believe that it is a risky thing for a woman to do. She has already received hosts of letters from white residents in Africa—wholly unconvincing her warnings her against undertaking so perilous a trip, but, as all her arrangements are now made, she says there is no turning back.

Miss Mansfield has achieved fame in England in various walks of life. She is a well known author and as a poet enjoys the distinction of being called the "Ella Wheeler Wilcox" of England.

Musical Leadership.—Mrs. Gertrude Meredith, daughter-in-law of George Meredith, novelist, stepped into the breach in Harrogate the other day and wielded the baton as substitute for the conductor of the municipal orchestra, one of the best in England. It was one of the few times in England that a woman has conducted an important orchestra, and so much publicity has been given to Mrs. Meredith has been invited to direct other bands throughout the country at special performances. She is a music lover and daily entertains her family and friends at the piano. She has been successful as a composer of songs and is ambitious to write an opera. She believes English composers will hold their own with German, French and Italian in operatic compositions, and she has made the prediction that the next great magician of music will be a woman. This seems like a rash prediction, but Mrs. Meredith argues that, as Charlotte Bronte rose to great heights as a novelist and Elizabeth Browning achieved distinction as a poet, matching that of Ross Browning as a painter, it is blind prejudice to hold women unequal to a great creative work.

The Good Will Habit.—A habit of holding a kindly attitude of mind toward everybody has a powerful influence upon the character. It lifts the mind above petty jealousies and meanness. It encircles and enlarges the whole life. Wherever we meet people, no matter if they are strangers, we feel a certain kinship with and friendliness for them if we have formed the good will habit.

On the other hand, the kindly habit, the good will habit, makes us feel more sympathy for everybody. And if we radiate this helpful, friendly feeling others will reflect it back to us. Life on the other hand, may go through life with a cold, selfish mental attitude, caring only for our own, always looking for the main chance, only thinking of what will further our own interest, our own comfort, totally indifferent to others, this attitude will after awhile harden the feelings and the affections, and we shall become dry, pessimistic and uninteresting.

The Confessions of a Clever Girl.—The secret is out. A girl who has a reputation for being extremely clever and brilliantly original has confessed that she is not clever at all. Neither, she says, she is a clever girl. She is merely observing. She keeps her eyes open and makes use of what other people have found out.

Informal thimble party you are perfectly sure before you start that the whole affair will be marked with original little touches. The place cards, the favors and the entertainment planned will be unique and a little different from the ordinary kind. In a burst of enthusiasm you say to your hostess: "Oh, but you must be clever! How do you ever think up such things?" In all probability she will tell you that she doesn't think of them at all—that she just copies them. This you may set down to modesty, but in nine cases out of ten it is the truth.

That girl has merely strained herself to be observing. She reads the papers and magazines, and when a clever idea is suggested she cuts it out and files it away in her book of suggestions. When she sees salad served in a new way at some smart dinner she makes a mental note of it, and the next time she has a guest she tries her new salad course.

So, while this girl has made for herself a reputation of being extremely clever, according to her own way, she is not clever at all. She merely uses the things that other people have thought of. So there is really little excuse, after all, for the woman who is invariably satisfied with the common place. The better ways are hers for the taking.

Much Dancing in the Capital.—Washington has gone dancing mad. Never was dancing such a craze, and notwithstanding hints that such capers were not becoming the chief executive of the United States the president recently has thrown full care to the winds and sought diversion in the gay waltz and the spirited barn dance. Higher ranking officials are also giving weekly dances in the White House since the first of the year, and all Washington, young and middle aged, has set out to dance. The president is as skillful in the waltz as in the dance. The modern waltzing as through hunting country. He enters into the festive spirit and dances vigorously. Grizzled generals and statesmen and diplomats are so covered with honors and decorations as to look like the Kaiser lead forth the blushing buds and whirl in the dance. This lively measure is the favorite.

New Jars For Cereals.—The new jars for cereals, herbs and condiments are so attractive that they may very properly adorn a room other than the kitchen. They are in opal ware, in oddly shaped vases, and in designs in bright colors. The cherry displays a most natural looking bunch of this fruit below the label, and the rose-colored shows a bud in its vanity. They are attractive in all. The price for the set complete is \$7.

As a wedding gift these jars would be much appreciated—indeed, probably more than an expensive piece of bric-a-brac.

She Caught the Germ.—Dollie had been away with her parents, and, being very keen on old china, they had gone into many shops to look at pieces, and she had heard much about the various marks and the consequent value of the china. Some time after a sailor friend was visiting them and showed her a tattoo mark on his arm.

"Oh, mamma, do come and look," exclaimed Dollie.

And then after watching her mother examining the mark she added, "is he valuable, mother?"

Mrs. Browning and Her Grandmother.—A copy of Mrs. Browning's "Battle of Marathon," the epic she wrote in her thirteenth year, has been sold for \$400. The value of the volume was doubt increased by the autograph of the author, who presented this particular copy to her "dearest grandma" as a birthday gift. Even that little attention did not prevent grandmamma from saying that she had far rather see Elizabeth's hemming more carefully finished than to hear so much of her bookish achievements.

Russian Tea Jelly.—Russian tea jelly, which is sometimes served like a frappe in place of iced at afternoon "at homes," is easily made. Turn two cups of tea into a boiling water and the juice of a lemon over four heaping tablespoonsful of tea, add a heaping tablespoonful of gelatin dissolved and a little sugar. Stir thoroughly and strain into a wet mold.

Spinach as a Salad.—Cold spinach after dinner is good served again in the form of a salad. Season it well with salt and pepper, dress with mayonnaise and decorate with a few small lettuce leaves and one or two hard boiled eggs sliced crosswise. A tiny young onion sliced may be sprinkled over the salad or alternated with the slices of eggs as a garnish.

What Dr. Anne Shaw Says.—Mr. Roosevelt's letter on woman's suffrage provoked a reply from the Rev. Anna A. Shaw of New York. She writes, "I am glad to hear that the president did not prevent grandmamma from saying that she had far rather see Elizabeth's hemming more carefully finished than to hear so much of her bookish achievements."

Ladies' Text Notice.—Mrs. Sarah Platt Decker says that some day she will write a paper on the subject of "Ladies' Text Notice." She says the country she has never found more than five or six women, other wise good housekeepers, who had labored with the needle. She says she has seen many women feel an aversion to the work of sympathy!

COLLEGE WOMEN.

Miss Woolley's Belief in Their Have a Sense of the Values of Life.

"It isn't the number of marriages, it is the quality of marriages, that matters," both in the past and in the future generations," said Miss Mary F. Woolley, president of Mount Holyoke college, in her talk at a college alumnae luncheon held recently. "College women," she said, "have a sense of the values of life. Their attitude toward marriage is not unlike that of the little girl who was being tutored in ethics."

"What is the best thing and the hardest thing in the world to do?" asked the teacher, expecting the child to say, "Tell the truth."

"Getting married," piped the pupil. Miss Woolley said she believed the professional woman's love of home was deeper and stronger often than that of the nonprofessional woman. "As to whether women ought to go out in the world, it is a question to be decided by the individual. It depends on temperament, the individual question of what woman's work is never so broad as it is today or so ill defined."

Miss Woolley admired the college women for their welfare of the "homeless newsmen," the women heard in tenements which it is a travesty to call homes and especially to abolish hardships if it takes every drop of blood from the veins of the women.

Dr. Balliet, another speaker at the luncheon, said the life of America's higher institutions of learning was seriously threatened by the readjustments that were taking place. "But we can more easily spare men's colleges than women's colleges," he said. "Men's work in the world seems to demand that they specialize; women can afford time to take a broad, liberal training. They do not require to specialize so much. Perhaps nature has specialized them less."

WELL KNOWN PHRASES.

Sentences One Quarter, but Often Can't Remember.

The phrase "leave no stone unturned" is frequently employed in everyday conversation, but yet nine people out of ten who use it would be unable to tell its derivation and about its origin.

The expression is taken from "Euphrates" and relates to an answer given by the Delphic oracle to Polykrates about treasure buried by Xerxes' grandfather, Darius, on the battlefield of Plataea.

The oracle said that to discover the treasure it would be necessary to "turn over every stone." The phrase, which has gradually taken the form of "leave no stone unturned" used nowadays.

A Feather in His Cap.—This familiar saying originated in warlike days, when it was customary for knights to honor such of their followers as distinguished themselves in battle by presenting them with a feather to wear in their caps, which when not in armor was the covering of their heads, and no one was permitted that privilege who had not "killed his man."

Why They're "Quakers."—Members of the Society of Friends are frequently designated by outsiders as "Quakers," but few people probably have any idea that Quakers is a nickname given in scorn.

George Fox, the founder of the sect, gave the origin of the name in his own "Justices Remonstrance of Derby" was the first to call us Quakers; because I bade him quake and tremble at the word of the Lord." This occurred in 1650.

A Luncheon Dish.—Smelts skewered in rings with heads and tails together, dipped in milk and flour and fried in deep fat make an attractive fish course.

Garnish the plate on which they are served with cress and slices of lemon that have been dipped in minced parsley. If they are to make the main part of the meal, serve them around a mound of potato or make a potato border and serve the fish rings in a mound.

The smelts may be skewered with a toothpick, and the skewer may be removed after the fish is cooked, as the ring will usually keep its shape.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY

In massaging wrinkles use the tips of the fingers and thumb, always working across the line. Never follow the lines of the creases.

Washing the eyes morning and night with cold water as hot as it can be borne is a wonderful tonic for those useful servants, which are so easily injured.

When a child is restless from teething it can often be quieted by giving it a warm bath. The water should be as hot as can be endured without burning. Do not allow the child to stay in the bath long, or weakness will follow.

To reduce the lips stand up straight and by bending forward make the finger tips touch the floor. Do not wear tight clothing and do not bend the knees. This is an old exercise, known as the "setting up" exercise, and is much used in the army for this purpose.

Often when one has a cold the eyes feel hot and are red and inflamed. The best way to effect a cure is to bathe the eyes frequently with a solution of boracic acid and water. If the eyes do not feel better after using cold compresses it would be well to consult an oculist.

THE ARMY DESERTER.

He is a Marked Man, and His Chances of Escape Are Few.

"The most persistently trailed lawbreaker in the United States today is the deserter from the army," said a captain of the United States army. "From the time he is found missing at the post where he is stationed until the inevitable hour when an officer of one of a dozen different federal and civil denominations lands him in custody he is a criminal marked for punishment, and he is shrewd indeed if he escapes."

"Four-fifths of the deserters are foreign born and professional army deserters with bad records left behind them and joined our forces only to get tired and want to quit again. What they get in the end is a term in the guardhouse or in the national prison for desertion."

"Beside the chances of an escaping soldier to get away from his punishment that of an ordinary jailbreaker, hounded by civil officers, is a bagatelle in the first place, a soldier in uniform is a soldier in habits and mannerisms of the service. The lawbreaker who states prison life away because it is only an incidental part of his life, the convict doing it can do it more or less perfectly, according to his inclination or the watchfulness of the guard."

"Now, turn a man so marked out in the world with a fifty dollar reward on his head and send to every village postoffice, police station, constable, sheriff and United States marshal in the whole country his accurate description and a picture of him in two attitudes and you have placed him in the predicament of the deserting soldier and narrowed his chances to an infinitesimal bit of progress within fifty miles from the starting point without arrest."

The captain said that the most money was probably spent by the government in chasing deserters than the reward of \$50 offered for his capture.

SIZING UP THE BABY.

Varying Views of the Different Members of the Family.

This is what the Browns had to say of the latest addition to the family: "Mother, this is the cutest, grinnest, handsomest, smartest little fellow in the world!"

"Such features! Such shoulders! And hear him talk, will you? Why, he understands more than I do!"

The Father—There's a boy for you! Smith will brag about that kid of his, will he? Well, you just wait until this young fellow is a month old, and I'll take the conceit out of Smith!

Little Bobby—So that's what the stork brought; eh? Gee, the stork must have been a pretty good fellow. I've all his teeth, and all his hair's blown off!"

Bachelor Brother—I don't want to cause my folks any anxiety, but here's the smallest human being I ever saw outside of a dime museum. You want to feed him upon roast beef and porterhouse steak, or the one shown here. Uncle Jack is dog fancier—is his nose cold? Hold him up by the back of his neck and we'll see if he's got any nerve.

Grandmother—There you go, spoiling the child as soon as he has his eyes open! I suppose when he's a month old we shall all have to stand on our heads to avoid him. Give me that infant this instant before he has colic and dies!

The Family Cat—Well, that settles my hash! It's either a new home or become a tailless feline inside of a month. Why, did I get a grip on him like a longshoreman?

The Baby—Goo-goo! Goo-goo! Goo-goo-goo! Oh, in other words, I'll be a good boy and hot for this family about midnight!

His Name Was Sufficient.—San Malato, the famous Sicilian duelist, seemed to have stepped into our prosaic modern life straight from the pages of Brantome. His fame had done more than penetrate the four corners of Europe. It had reached his own home. Some misguided Sicilian bandits held up a coach one night and summoned his solitary traveler to come out. From the shadowy depths of the vehicle came two short sentences in a cold, staccato voice: "Spread out your cloaks. The mud must not spoil my boots when I descend. Give me the gun that I saw the awe striking whisper of 'San Malato' upon their quivering lips—London Telegram.

The Limit.—"What did the doctor say was the matter with you?" "He said he didn't know." "Well, what doctor are you going to next?" "None. When a doctor dares to make such an admission as that he must be about as high in his profession as I can get."—London Mail.

Following Directions.—"Mr. McKelroy (slightly indisposed)—I'm not sure about these pills you give me, Norah. I say, begorry, 'Take from two to four 1/4 night,' an' bad cess t' them. O'ra, took them all, an' it's only quarter past 2.—Puck.

Remarkable.—"What was the most remarkable episode you ever witnessed?" "The time I once saw a woman close a street car door."—Louisville Courier Journal.

BOOK BORROWERS.

Good Points For Guilty Members of the Community.

Have you on your bookshelves the first volume of the four volume edition of the "Count of Monte Cristo—full, lavent, limited edition, hand sewed, deckled edges, etc.?"

If you have, you know you borrowed it, and you had better take it back. Perhaps you don't know from whom you borrowed it. Neither does the woman who lent it know to whom she lent it. Worse luck, and there for years that gaping row in her bookcase has looked at her like a man with a missing front tooth.

Through tears of aggravation the gazes at those three remaining volumes—useless without the first. "Lost," you say. "Why, the thing can't be lost. Books like that aren't dropped inadvertently upon the street. People don't sweep them up by mistake in their dustpans. If must be somewhere." Yes, but who's to know where?

Some day the lost and found columns of the newspapers will contain a notice like this: "Will the person who borrowed my second volume of 'Lamb's Essays' please return it at my expense and receive reward? No questions asked." If this doesn't work there would be a profitable field for some one who would organize a sort of secret service book detective agency.

Now, it is a beautiful thing to lend books. It adds to the joy of having them to share them with other people, but sharing doesn't usually mean giving. The point is to return it.

There's a moral in all this, by the way, for the lenders as well as for the offending borrowers. The good habit of borrowing books is a habit that has been in the book the matter would have been promptly reduced to one of wilful carelessness.

In the second place, even if books are clearly marked with the name and address of their owners, human nature is weak and forgetful. No one should lend a book without making a note of it on a little card or notebook kept for the purpose. Then it's a simple matter to retrace the memory of the erring friend. But, now that we are talking of it, it's a woman's habit to harm her all the inveterate and pernickulous book borrowers to just take inventory and cast up accounts and then take back some of those borrowed books.

HANDY SAVINGS BANK.

Made of Flexible Material to Conform to Shape of Pocket.

A handy little pocket savings bank that is sure to prove popular is shown in the illustration below. The inventor of this little bank was in great demand; but, being constructed of metal, it was weighty and cumbersome in the pocket. This objection is overcome in the one shown here. Being made almost entirely of leather, it is light and handy.

BATHS A MONTH LONG.

Patients at Japanese Health Resort Live in the Islands.

The Japanese are fond of bathing in extremely hot water. They are, in fact, the most cleanly, according to our western notion, of any of the eastern peoples. Their bath is used frequently as twice a day, often at a temperature of about 110 degrees F., says the Chicago News.

An odd description has been given of the amphibious life of bath in water and half out, like frogs, led by the visitors at a health resort where there are warm mineral springs in the heart of the Japanese mountains. Patients at this sanatorium often remain in the water for a month at a time. At night they put a stone on their laps to keep them from floating downstream. And if it should be objected that this is an unhealthy method of conducting a health reference has only to be made to the caretaker of the establishment, a hearty old man over eighty years of age, who frequently remains in the bath all winter, directing the business of the place from a station waist deep in the warm, flowing water.

POCKET SAVINGS BANK.

With the exception of the small metal slot for the reception of the coin, it is exactly like a stick of mint candy and is made of six inch wide satin ribbon edged with half inch red satin ribbon and then twisted in a bias twist.

The bank is made of a long pasteboard roll. The roll has first been covered with scented cotton, and the whole thing has a delicious look when finished.

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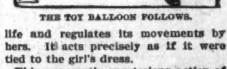
Young Folks

FUN WITH A BALLOON.

Interesting Experiment That Mytifies Until Explained.

The toy balloon that you buy from the man on the street corner is a pretty thing to play with for a day, but then its color becomes faded, and its beautiful roundness departs, and it looks like a misshapen, wrinkled ghost of itself. But, though it can no longer perform the duty for which it was made and sail proudly aloft to the extent of its tether, a ball of brilliant red, it still has the power to afford amusement to little folk and in a way that you would scarcely expect.

Take up the poor, wilted little thing and lay it on the edge of a chair or a table. It seems dead, but the power of anything to restore it to life. But let a woman or a girl stand near it and then start away from it at a run, all through the room, out into the hall and into another room, and see how the dead thing will come to life, for it will follow her everywhere at a distance of two or three feet, moving rapidly if she moves rapidly, slowly if she moves slowly. If she stops—stop—in fact, it seems to be endowed with



THE TOY BALLOON FOLLOWS.

life and regulates its movements by hers. It acts precisely as if it were tied to the girl's dress. This apparently mysterious action of the half empty balloon is caused by the displacement of the air by the girl's movements. That is to say, as every step she takes she pushes the air from her side and leaves a hole in the air (or vacuum, as it is called) in the place where she last stood. Into this partial vacuum a light current of air flows to fill it, becoming the balloon with it. The more rapidly the girl moves the faster will the balloon follow, because the more air is thus displaced.

It takes a woman or a girl to succeed in this experiment because her skirts make more of a vacuum than a man's clothing can make.—Philadelphia Record.

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and would say unto them: Go
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consider her ways.

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strongly on the evils of private
gossip. It is perhaps not gen-
erally recognized that the libel
which appears in a newspaper
is the least dangerous of all
attacks upon private character.
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open; the person struck may
strike back, may vindicate him-
self in the courts, but a story
circulated through private
gossip may travel and gather
strength and venom for months
or years without the victim be-
ing made aware of the mis-
chief. He may find friends
growing cold without sus-
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Canadian North-West Oil.....	.30	.35
Consolidated Smelters.....	77.00	83.00
Cranbrook Fire Brick.....	1.10	
Diamond Coal.....	.50	.53
Diamond Vale Coal.....	.124	.154
International Coal & Coke.....	.65	.67
Nicola Coal.....	.04	.04
Consolidated.....	10.75	11.25
Nipissing.....	.084	.12
North Star.....	.70	1.00
Nugget Gold Mines.....	.22	.25
McGillivray Creek Coal.....	.14	.144
Rambler Caribou.....	.33	.35
Royal Collieries.....	.25	.25
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